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Line 3, "the" (3rd occurrence) should be deleted.

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Line 38, "is" should be deleted.

COLUMN 32:

Line 62, "above" should read --above- --.

COLUMN 40:

Line 49, "for" should read --for,--.

Line 57, "become" should read --becomes--.

Line 61, "erea" should read --area--.

Line 63, "distribution" should read --distribution ratios--.

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Line 35, "mask" should read --mask pattern--.

COLUMN 43:

Line 15, "a" should read --an--.
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Line 16, "lager" should read --larger--.
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